

News Advisory

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UDOH, State Parks Launch New Gold Medal Mile and Walking Challenge

What: 1. Kick-off a four-month statewide walking competition

2. Inaugurate a new Gold Medal Mile

3. Invite Utahns to enjoy the beautiful sceneries of Utah's State Parks

Why: To help Utahns get healthy by getting them out of the house and into state parks

Who: UDOH Executive Director and avid walker Dr. David Sundwall

Representatives from Utah State Parks

Miss Wasatch Christina Lowe

Representatives from UDOH Heart Disease and Stroke Prevention Program

When: 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. Saturday, June 7, 2008

Where: Wasatch Mountain State Park

Driving Directions to Wasatch Mountain State Park Visitor Center

From Salt Lake City:

Take I-80 East toward Park City Take Exit 148 (Hwy 40 to Heber).

Travel (x miles) to the first light. Turn right onto River Road

Stay on River Road for 2 miles to the Circle

Take the right fork onto Burgi Lane

(heading west)

Follow Burgi Lane as it changes into Cari

Lane

At the stop sign (Homestead Dr.), turn right Follow this road as it curves to the left

The visitor center is on your right

From Provo:

Travel up Provo Canyon (Hwy 189)

Follow Hwy 189 past Deer Creek Reservoir

Turn left onto Hwy 113

Follow Hwy 113 to Main Street in Midway

(there will be a stop sign)

Turn left. Follow Main Street to the next

stop sign and turn right

Follow this road as it curves first to the left,

and then to the right

You will be on Homestead Dr.

Follow Homestead Dr. for about 3 miles. The road will curve to the left again. The visitor center is on your right

For additional directions, call the park at (435) 654-1791